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1. Despite the Cominform rift, the Yugoslav Government is preparing a long memorandum for the Soviet Government which will attempt to justify the present diplomacy of Yugoslavia and prepare the grounds for the re-entry of that country into the Cominform fold.
2. The document will be given to the Polish Ambassador to Belgrade, whose government allegedly will act as the mediator. The Polish Government is reportedly convinced that if the split is not to become chronic, then Marshal Tito must be kept from the Western Bloc at all costs. The Poles regard a potential Tito rapprochement with the West as disastrous to the other satellite nations, where anti-Soviet sentiment is mounting.
3. The Polish Government purportedly is also attempting to effect a reconciliation between Yugoslavia on the one hand, and Albania, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia and Rumania on the other hand. To date, only Hungary is assistant to the overture by the Poles.
4. The aforementioned memorandum lists the internal successes accomplished by Tito and the advances made abroad in the diplomatic and commercial fields. The memorandum stresses the strict domestic adherence by Yugoslavia to the Leninist-Stalinist line and is well-documented with foot notes to prove that no deviation has been made from Marxist dogma.
5. One entire section of the report deals with the aid Yugoslavia has given the other satellite countries. Another section contemplates the future action to be taken by Yugoslavia in the event the memorandum is rejected by Moscow.
6. The memorandum will be presented to the Kremlin during the second half of September 1949.

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